

Filed for intro on 03/22/95  
House Bill \_\_\_\_\_  
By \_\_\_\_\_

Senate No. SJR0128  
By Crutchfield

A RESOLUTION to honor Rev. Dr. Felton M. Smith, Jr. and  
Temple of Faith Church on 25 years of  
outstanding service.

WHEREAS, from time to time, there emerges a special leader and church of dedicated members, who through their faith in the Lord, dedicate their services to assisting and shaping the lives of others, thus helping to build a stronger and brighter world; and

WHEREAS, Rev. Felton M. Smith, Jr. and Temple of Faith Deliverance of Chattanooga, Tennessee are noted for reaching out to those who are seeking love and kindness; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Smith founded the outstanding Temple of Faith Deliverance in August of 1970; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Smith was ordained as an Elder in the Church of God in Christ in 1967. He has also served as District Superintendent in eastern Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, in 1979, Dr. Smith, through diligence and patience, started the Bread of Life Counseling Center where he has for many years helped those individuals who have lost their confidence and are in need of spiritual guidance; and

WHEREAS, Bread of Life Ministries, also founded by Dr. Smith, is a multi-media organization in which he has a televised ministry that airs on WDEF Channel 12 in

Chattanooga, Tennessee. He also has televised specials that extend to major cities across the United States as well as 13 foreign countries; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Smith and Temple of Faith Deliverance will celebrate 25 years of glorious service in 1995, exemplifying a solid foundation of love, richness of spirit and faith in God; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly pay tribute to one of Tennessee's great religious leaders and churches; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend Rev. Dr. Felton M. Smith, Jr. and Temple of Faith Deliverance Church on 25 years of outstanding service to the city of Chattanooga and the state of Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.